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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR BACKUP INFORMATION ON HOST

COUNTRIES GSP SCHEME

REF: STATE 222799

1. AS REPORTED IN REFTEL, POST IS ASKED TO REVIEW IN ORDER
TO COMMENT AND SUPPLEMENT INFORMATION AVAILABLE ON GSP
SCHEME OF HOST COUNTRY.

2. THE BASIC FEATURES OF THE SCHEME ARE:

PRODUCT COVERAGE: EXCLUDES WOOL PRODUCTS, PAPER, CLOTHING
AND ACCESSORIES, SOME IRON AND STEEL PRODUCTS, ELECTRI-
CAL AND NONELECTRICAL MACHINERY, AND TRAVEL GOODS IN THE BTN
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25-99. AMONG ITEMS IN BTN 1-24, 34 AGRICULTURAL

COMMODITIES, INCLUDING 21 PRIMARY COMMODITIES, ARE INCLUDED IN THE SCHEME.

DEPTH OF TARIFF CUTS: EXCEPT FOR A FEW ITEMS THAT ARE ADMITTED DUTY FREE, THE REST ARE SUBJECT TO THE BRITISH PREFERENTIAL TARIFF.

SAFEGUARD MECHANISM: ESCAPE CLAUSE.

LIMITATIONS ON ELIGIBLE PRODUCTS: NO QR'S.

BENEFICIARIES: 140 LDC'S AND TERRITORIES, INCLUDING ALL OF THE GROUP OF 77. KISSINGER

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